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| In Re Application of: |) | |
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| Jiaw-Ren Shih |) | Group Art Unit: 2826 |
| |) | |
| Serial No.: 10/718,363 |) | Examiner: Dickey, Thomas |
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| Filed: 11/20/2003 |) | Confirmation No. 9515 |
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| For: NOVEL STACKED STRING |) | TKHR Docket No.: 252016-2220 |
| FOR POWER PROTECTION |) | Top-Team Ref. 0503-7804US |
| AND POWER CONNECTION |) | |

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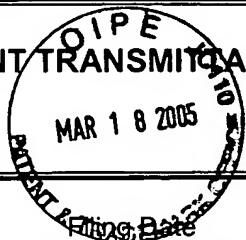
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Sir:

The Office Action mailed December 17, 2004 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (LARGE)

Applicant(s): Shih, et al



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Invention: **Novel Stacked String for Power Protection and Power Connection**

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| TOTAL CLAIMS | 25 - | 33 = | 0 | X \$50.00 | \$0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 2 - | 3 = | 0 | X \$200.00 | \$0 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | \$360.00 | \$0 |
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March 16, 2005
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